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REMARKS

This case has been carefully reviewed and analyzed in view of the Office Action dated 16 February 2005. Responsive to the Office Action, Claims 1 and 2 have been cancelled by this Amendment.

In the Office Action, the Examiner rejected Claims 1 and 2 under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a), as being unpatentable over the prior art shown in FIG. 10 in view of Grimbly, U.S. Patent #4,627,651. However, the Examiner kindly indicated that Claims 3-9 were allowed.

Accordingly, Claims 1 and 2 have been cancelled in order to expeditiously advance the prosecution of this case, leaving only the allowed claims.

It is now believed that the subject Patent Application has been placed in condition for allowance, and such action is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted.

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